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Docket No.: 1075.1123

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Satoshi MUKOGAWA

Serial No. 09/447,658

Group Art Unit: 3628

Confirmation No. 4075

Filed: November 23, 1999

Examiner: Nga B. NGUYEN

For: AUTOMATED FINANCIAL TRANSACTION SYSTEM

INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The Applicant submits the following summary of the telephone interview that took place August 17, 2005 between the undersigned representative of the Applicant and the Examiner.

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the many courtesies extended to the undersigned representative of the Applicant during the above-mentioned telephone interview.

Among the issues discussed during that interview was the section of the final Office Action mailed June 27, 2005 entitled "Response to Arguments/Amendments" and its reference to new grounds of rejection that rendered the Applicant's arguments submitted January 13, 2005 moot. There were apparently no new grounds of rejection, and the Examiner agreed to remove the finality of the subject Office Action upon receipt of a further response from the Applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

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